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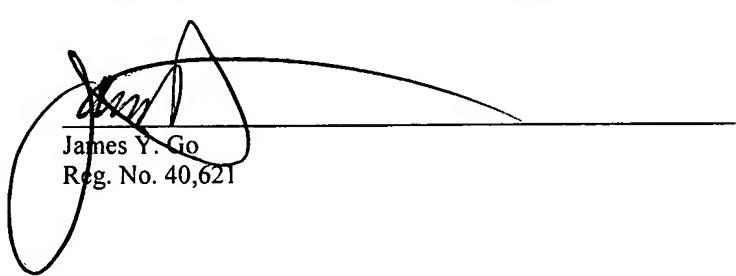
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 16, 2004, the Applicant requests the Examiner to enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.